

67. The kit according to claim 65, wherein the antibody is a monoclonal antibody.--

REMARKS


Claims 1 to 52 have been cancelled without prejudice or disclaimer. New claims 53 to 67 have been added. Upon entry of this Amendment, claims 53-67 will be pending in this divisional application filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d) on August 29, 2001.. Support for claims 53-67 may be found in the specification. For example, the specification states on page 15, lines 19-23: "[p]olypeptide products of the invention may be "labeled" by association with a detectable marker substance (e.g., radiolabeled with ¹²⁵I) to provide reagents useful in detection and quantification of MI in solid tissue and fluid samples such as blood or urine." Support for claims 53-67 also may be found in the specification on page 17, lines 32-35; beginning on page 18, line 31, to page 19, line 17; and in Example 6. No new matter has been added.

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